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"The school is considered the best instrument for turning the islanders into docile, law-abiding, hardworking servants. As may be seen from the following table the results, before 1930, were hardly impressive:

Number of Chinese on Taiwan who Understand the Japanese Language (census data)

	1905	1915	1920	1930
Women	469	4,194	11,168	70,750
Men	10,801	50,143	87,897	294,677
Total	11,270	55,337	99,065	365,427

Source: Kokumin nenkan, 1940, p. 665.

[166] If we look at the rate of growth these figures may appear imposing. But actually the results can hardly be considered satisfactory since by 1930, after thirty-five years of Japanese rule over such a small area, only about ten per cent of the population understand the language of the rulers—and the degree of understanding required by the con census-takers was small."